

NATIONAL PETITION TO SEEK EMBARGO ON FOOD EXPORTS

25,000 Bakers, Grocers and
Delicatessen Dealers Here
Start Big Movement.

The 25,000 bakers, delicatessen dealers and grocers of this city are preparing a petition which will be presented to Congress asking that an embargo be placed on all breadstuffs leaving this country. This petition will be followed by others which will be circulated in every State calling upon Senators and Congressmen to use their influence in behalf of the movement.

Reports of the movement were made to-day by inspectors in the Department of Weights and Measures. They informed Commissioner Joseph Hartigan that the bakers' petitions not only express the sentiments of the purveyors of bread, but show sentiments of housewives in every section of the city.

Butchers, bakers and grocers who will make the national appeal, hope to be assisted in their propaganda by their customers. They will try to convince them that the demand for food in Europe is to blame for high prices.

Said Commissioner Hartigan: "I am informed that the bread purveyors' petition will ask the Federal Trade Commission to make a careful investigation of food prices. And on the verdict of the Trade Commission they hope to have a sound basis for an appeal to Congress for radical action."

Two hundred and thirteen retail butchers were summoned to Commissioner Hartigan's office to-day to explain why they have violated the law.

Everyone Should Drink Hot Water in the Morning

Wash away all the stomach, liver, and bowel poisons before breakfast.

To feel your best day in and day out, to feel clean inside, no sour bile to coat your tongue and sicken your breath or dull your head; no constipation, bilious attacks, sick headache, colds, rheumatism or gassy, acid stomach, you must get on the inside like you bathe outside. This is vastly more important, because the skin pores do not absorb impurities into the blood, while the bowel pores do, says a well-known physician.

To keep these poisons and toxins well flushed from the stomach, liver, kidneys and bowels, drink before breakfast each day a glass of hot water with a teaspoonful of limestone phosphate in it. This will cleanse, purify and freshen the entire alimentary tract before putting more food into the stomach.

Get a quarter pound of limestone phosphate from your pharmacist. It is inexpensive and almost tasteless, except a sourish twinge, which is not unpleasant. Drink phosphated hot water every morning to rid your system of these vile poisons and toxins; also to prevent their formation.

To feel like young folks feel, like you felt before your blood, nerves and muscles became saturated with a cumulation of body poisons, begin this treatment, and above all, keep it up! As soap and hot water act on the skin, cleansing, sweetening and purifying, so limestone phosphate and hot water before breakfast act on the stomach, liver, kidneys and bowels.—Advt.

prohibiting the selling of food products which are not labeled as to weight. The law makes violation and misdemeanor punishable by a fine of \$100.

The accused butchers declared that the packers and not they were at fault. Hams and bacon are shipped to them in burlap wrappings and tied with twine, the average weight of which is six to eight ounces. The wrapping is charged for by the packers as if it were meat and the retail butchers say they must retaliate on their customers.

Commissioner Hartigan estimates that the burlap wrappings cost the people of New York City at least \$1,000,000 a year and the people of this State at least \$3,000,000 a year. Practically all the retail butchers agreed to sign a paper agreeing to obey the law after having been assured by Commissioner Hartigan that he would get after the packers. The wholesalers hold that the shipping of hams and bacon in burlap wrappings is in accordance with the federal pure food law.

TWO SAW WAY OUT OF PRISON; ONE, BY LEAP, GETS AWAY

Boy, Arrested as Burglar,
Makes Plunge From Wall
of Jefferson Market Jail.

Martin Walsh, a prisoner in Jefferson Market Prison, saved his way from his cell early this morning, picked the lock of Michael Devern's cell adjoining, and both escaped by cutting through a bar on a window on the Tenth Street side of the prison.

Devern leaped from the ledge beneath the window and cleared the sixteen-foot wall surrounding the prison. For ten minutes or more he lay upon the sidewalk stunned and bleeding and in full view of scores who passed on their way to work. At last he got up and staggered off and is still at liberty.

Walsh, who essayed the six-foot leap to clear the wall, fell into the yard and hit behind several ash cans under a flight of stairs, where he was later caught. He refused to say how he had obtained the saw with which he cut the two bars. Devern, who is only nineteen years old, was awaiting a decision by Magistrate Deuel upon charges of felonious assault and attempted robbery. Walsh was being held suspected of knowledge of the recent killing of Policeman William McAuliffe in Third Avenue.

CALDER'S LEAD 8,474; FEW DISTRICTS MISSING

Bacon Not to Contest Result, but
Will Continue Active in
Politics.

With reports received from all but eighty small rural districts, the nomination of William M. Calder for United States Senator in Republican primaries became assured to-day. The practically total to which only a few hundred votes must be added later, was as follows:

Calder 121,188; Bacon 142,712; Calder's majority 8,474.

First of the belated returns to be received this morning came from Suffolk County with an excuse for their delay. The visit of Gov. Whitman to the county fair at Riverhead so excited local officials that they could not come to the vote.

Robert Bacon will not contest the result, but intends to continue active interest in politics.

Every Woman Should Know How to Flirt; No Age Limit; Fat and Thin Ones Alike!

Flirting Is the Gymnastics of the Heart
American Wives Flirt Merrily and Harmlessly
Fat Is the First Syllable of Fatuous
Men Never Tire of a Merry Wife
Beauty Has Very Little to Do With Successful Flirtation
Plain Women Are Often the Most Delightful Flirts
The Flirt Flirts Just a Little Bit With Every Man
Women Who Flirt Preserve Their Looks and Figures
Men Seek in a Wife a Pal, a Friend and a Flirt

By Nizola Greeley-Smith.
"Every woman should know how to flirt," said Miss Constance Collier, opening her wonderful black eyes at me almost as if she were snuffing the action to the word. "Not only should every woman know how to flirt, every woman should flirt. Flirting is the gymnastics of the heart. It keeps a woman young and charming."

"But isn't there any time at which a woman should stop flirting?" I asked. In the interest of my own serene old age, I hoped Miss Collier would say no. And she did.

"There is no age limit," she answered positively. "How about weight, then?" I inquired.

"What has weight to do with it?" asked Miss Collier.

"Oh, fat women look so funny when they try to flirt," I replied. "I think there should be a statute that no woman weighing more than 150 pounds should flirt."

"Oh, no," protested Miss Collier, with a noble altruism, for she is not anywhere near the weight limit herself. "Flirtation springs from the heart, not from the waistline. Let the flirt weigh as much as she dares to weigh."

The virtue of the slim woman is temporary. In the day of Titian and Rubens no woman was thought beautiful unless she was fat.

I had thought Miss Collier for a little interval on flirtation because to my personal knowledge she—a respectable married woman—had been flirting desperately for days. Moreover, she is obliged to keep on flirting for three weeks or until the whole business is made public, and she appears as the arch flirt, Mistress Ford, in an all-star revival of "The Merry Wives of Windsor."

The flirtation which Miss Collier is carrying on meantime is with Tom Wise as Falstaff, whom Mistress Ford lures to a mischievous trust only to send him from it in a basket of old linen.

ALL WIVES SHOULD BE MERRY, SHE DECLARES.

"All wives should be merry," Miss Collier assured me when I saw her in her... "There are two lines in the play which we should take as the text of our interview, I think: 'We leave a mark by that which we shall do.' 'Wives may be merry and yet honest, too!'

"American wives are the merriest in the world," added the English actress. Americans are a merry people. You practice joyousness, which some narrow-minded people confuse with sinfulness, but which is just the opposite. American wives flirt as Miss Collier did merrily and harmlessly. And they like to take a conceited man down a bit. Just as Mistress Ford does with Falstaff.

"Falstaff is not an infrequent type in New York. He was a bon vivant and he loved to think that he was irresistible to women. Lots of men do. It's a sort of childish vanity, I suppose."

"And isn't it strange," I said, "that they seem to put on vanity with flesh? Nobody is quite so conceited as a fat man."

"Fat is the first syllable of fatuous," Miss Collier observed. "Perhaps that is the reason. And yet how pitifully the fat man's vanity collapses at the first pinprick."

Miss Collier paused and her brilliant lips parted suddenly in a merry smile.

"Ellen Terry played Mistress Page with Sir Herbert Tree, who, as you know, is not fat," she said. "Sir Herbert had to be inflated for Falstaff. One evening Miss Terry pricked his false stomach with a pin and it collapsed. The curtain had to be rung down. One little shaft of irony pricks the inflated vanity of all Falstaffs," she added musingly. "They collapse and the curtain drops upon their hopes. I agree with Mistress Ford's declaration, 'I shall think the worse of fat men so long as I have an eye.'"

"People ask me which I think is the better Falstaff, Sir Herbert Tree or Tom Wise, with whom I am rehearsing now. But I can't tell them. I do not see how it would be possible for any one to be better than either."

"Falstaff, with all his faults, is a gentleman. He takes his punishment and the play ends merrily, as all flirtations should end in real life. It is curious that I should play one of the Merry Wives of Windsor. I was born at Windsor, in the royal borough, as we call it in England."

AMERICAN WIVES HAVE MOST REASON TO BE MERRY.

"You said that American wives are the merriest in the world. Why do you think so?" I inquired.

"Because they have most to be merry about," Miss Collier answered. "You see, when America began women were scarce, and therefore highly prized. If a woman was not treated well there was always some one waiting to treat her better. In England, with a million surplus women, the women of the lower classes are little better than a dog. Sisters exist that brothers may be waited upon; wives live to fetch slippers for their husbands. Here, in America, wives maintain their value by keeping themselves interesting and charming after they are married."

"Mistress Ford was like an American wife. Her husband married her because she was gay, merry, flirtatious. And then the moment she showed these qualities after they were married he grew horribly jealous, a way with men."

"Well, if every man could fit his wife into the straitjacket of his ideal he would leave her at home to sit by the fire and knit, while he ran after some one else, gay, flirtatious, as she had been. For it is laughable the extent to which men are faithful to one type of woman and chase their second wives as nearly like their first wives as possible."

"Men never tire of a merry wife," Miss Collier added thoughtfully. "One of the first things I learned after I came here was your delightful saying: 'You can catch more flies with sugar than with vinegar.' That aphorism contains the essence of flirtation. I think by the way, beauty has very little to do with successful flirtation."

Miss Collier added: "A flirt is often dull and lacking in charm. Beauty is very much overrated."

This was very kind of Miss Collier, for she is considered one of the loveliest brunettes that ever came out of England. I thought of Charles M. Schwab, who announced the other day that great riches do not bring joy, that the man with \$10,000 a year is happier than the captain of industry. And now here was a billionaire of beauty declaring that beauty is overrated, meaning it, too.

Very plain women are quite often the most delightful of flirts," Miss Collier said.



CONSTANCE COLLIER

Collier said, "Little, seemingly unattractive, creatures have scores of men mad about them. That is because they have lure. The flirt flirts just a little bit with every man. She can't help it. She does it as I said before, to practice the gymnastics of the heart."

"Women who flirt always keep their looks and their figures longer than those who settle down like the old-fashioned Japanese wife who shaved her eyebrows and blackened her teeth to prove her conjugal devotion."

"Men don't like that kind of devotion," I interpreted. "When a man thinks you have ceased to interest other men you have ceased to interest him."

"I think that is true," Miss Collier replied. "Have you noticed, by the way, that Shakespeare has portrayed the passion of jealousy in many men? Cassius, Othello, Caliban and many others. But where can we find a jealous woman in his plays? Shakespeare knew that men are more jealous than women. Shakespeare loved women. He understood them. He alone has made women worthy."

"Ah, no, there is George Meredith, too," I said.

"I was about to except Meredith," Miss Collier answered. "But what other woman in literature is so witty as Beatrice? And 'The Merry Wives of Windsor' are just Beatrice in miniature. How fine, and keen, and witty Rosalind was. Just the type a man chooses for his wife to-day. And Portia, of course, was the first Suffragette. All Shakespeare's women are amazingly modern. They could be set down in London or New York to-day and appear rather advanced to some people. Shakespeare never bothered with the type of pretty, useless, frivolous woman, who has quite gone out now, even in England. To-day men seek in a wife a pal, a friend and—oh, yes—a flirt. She must be a flirt," Miss Collier ended.

BROKER'S FORTUNE STILL A SECRET TO STAGE GIRL

Justice Goff Refuses Theo Bell's
Plea to Make Louis Winkelman
Tell Size of His Bank Roll.

Supreme Court Justice Goff ruled to-day that young women suing for breach of promise to marry, have no right to inquire into the amount of a man's bank account. In the case before the Justice, Theo Bell, known on the stage as Minnie Wells, is suing Louis Winkelman, a Wall Street broker, for \$25,000. Her attorneys asked for an order compelling Winkelman to submit to an examination as to his fortune. Miss Bell in her complaint alleged that as a member of the firm of L. L. Winkelman, No. 41 Broad Street, he has plenty of money.

"All the courts want to know," said Justice Goff, "is did Mr. Winkelman promise to marry this young woman he not? The size of the bank account might have meant something to her in accepting the alleged offer of marriage, but surely it can mean nothing now." He refused to order the examination.

DEMOCRATS STARTING DRIVE IN PENNSYLVANIA

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LYNCHERS IN AUTOS STORM JAIL AND KILL A WHITE MAN

Bert Dudley, Who Was Hanged
by Mob, Had Been Con-
victed of Murder.

OLATHE, Mo., Sept. 21.—Bert Dudley, who was executed last Tuesday for the murder of Henry Muller, an aged German, and his wife, was taken from the Johnson County Jail here to-day by a masked mob and hanged to a telephone pole.

The mob came to Olathe in motor cars, supposedly from near Stilwell, where Muller had lived. Sheriff Lon Carroll refused to give up Dudley.

"Better let us have him," said the leaders of the lynchers. "We are prepared to take him."

The men fired a volley of shots and the Sheriff yielded.

But Mrs. Carroll had fled in the meantime with the jail keys. Determined to get their man, the mob battered in two jail doors and when the first department attacked the crowd with streams of water they forced the firemen to retreat at gun points.

Seizing Dudley, the mob hurried with him to waiting motor cars, threw a rope around his neck, and a quarter of a mile to the Frisco depot and hanged him to a telephone pole.

Dudley, an ex-convict and white, was convicted of first degree murder which carries with it a sentence of life imprisonment.

ETHAN ALLEN LEFT \$100,000.

Will of Descendant of Revolutionary Hero is Filed.

Ethan Allen, a direct descendant of Gen. Ethan Allen of Revolutionary fame, left an estate valued at more than \$100,000, according to his will filed to-day.

The income is left to his mother, Mrs. Josephine M. Allen, who lives with her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Helen Maude Burgess, in Rockville Center, L. I. Upon her death the property passes to Mrs. Burgess's three daughters, Helen, Edith Allen and Mrs. Marian Twaddell.

New Officers for Combined S. P. C. W. WATERBURY, N. Y., Sept. 21.—Z. Bennett Pope of Binghamton was elected President, Charles H. Warner of Yonkers, Secretary, and Thomas Hale Jr. of Yonkers, Treasurer of the combined Societies for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children and Cruelty to Animals in season here to-day. An invitation to hold next year's convention at Binghamton will probably be accepted.

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MRS. GEORGE HARVEY JOINS HUGHES ALLIANCE

Wife of the "Original Wilson Ad-
vocate" a Member of G. O. P.
Council.

Mrs. Harvey, wife of Col. George Harvey, original presidential advocate of Woodrow Wilson, has joined the Hughes alliance in support of Hughes. Not only has she become associated with the suffrage branch of the Republican campaign, but she is to take high office with the men, having become a member of the national council of the Hughes Alliance along with Col. Roosevelt, Gen. W. Cameron Forbes and other prominent men.

Col. Harvey is at present non-committal.

Another feminine recruit to-day in the Hughes camp was Mrs. Winslow Williams, a social leader of Baltimore. Her husband, Gen. Williams, formerly a Democrat, then a Progressive, reported at Republican headquarters to-day for both his wife and himself. He said they would help carry Maryland.

The Republican suffrage organization also announced the accession to-day of Mrs. Harry Payne Whitney and Mrs. W. Murray Crane.

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